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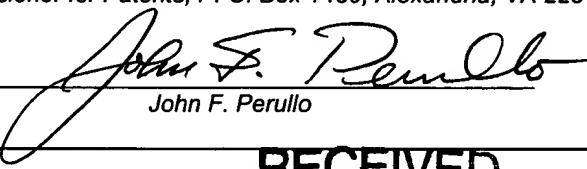
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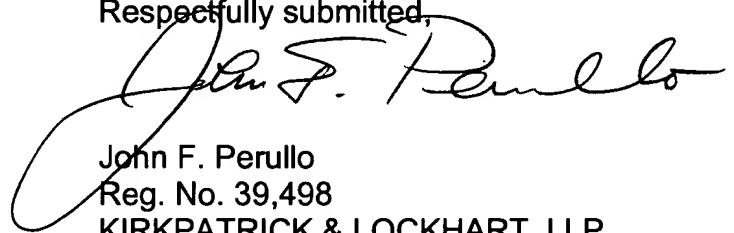
PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

A three month extension of time, to and including October 1, 2003, is requested for response to the action of April 1, 2003.

The fee of \$950.00 for the extension should be charged to our deposit account no. 50-1721. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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